

House Resolution No. 979

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during his sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, John T. Young of Elk Creek, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of his Eightieth Birthday with a special celebration on March 15, 2008, at the Sunnyside Café in Cabool; and

Whereas, on March 15, 1928, God brought a special gift to Fred Lawrence and Ruth Pauline Robinett Young with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of John, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating his birthday, John Young will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in his life such as his marriage to Erma Lee Corman and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, John Young has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include two children, Elizabeth Jane Young Jones and John Timothy "Tim" Young; and one grandchild, Case Thomas-Dale Jones; and

Whereas, now retired, John Young has enjoyed recognition as a farmer, mail carrier, school bus driver, Korean War veteran of the United States Army, Treasurer of Cass Township, member of the Cabool Kiwanis Club, a lifetime member of the VFW, and a Deacon at Cabool Christian Church; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 80, John Young is extremely grateful for the countless blessings he has received throughout the course of his long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to John Young at this significant milestone and in wishing him peace and contentment as he continues to enjoy his golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri octogenarian John T. Young, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by _____
Representative Don Wells
District No. 147

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 979, adopted March 10, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker